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SUBJECT: GABON-VIET CONG RELATIONS

REF: FBIS OKINAWA B111625 OCTOBER 1973

1. LIBERATION PRESS AGENCY (LPA) BROADCAST MESSAGE FROM VIET CONG LEADERS THANKING PRESIDENT BONGO AND GABONESE GOVERNMENT FOR RECOGNIZING SO-CALLED PROVISIONAL REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT. THIS IS THE ONLY REFERENCE TO GABONESE RECOGNITION WE HAVE SEEN SINCE ALGIERS NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE WHERE GONGO REPORTEDLY PROMISED TO RECOGNIZE VIET CONG REGIME.

2. EMBASSY'S CONFIRMATION OF LPA REPORT AND COMMENT THEREON WOULD BE APPRECIATED.
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